

Uxbridge Council on Aging Minutes

Date: Tuesday, February 8, 2022

Place: Uxbridge Senior Center/Zoom

Time: 3 PM

Attendance: Director Lisa Bernard, Gail Boutiette, Sally Selvidge, Betty Tancrell, Arlene Kurowski, Edna Coffin, Jean Lawson via phone, Dorene Landry via Zoom

Minutes of January meeting read and approved. Director's Report: (attached)

Activities: Combo Valentine's & SuperBowl party set for Feb 11 sponsored by UEC, Zumba & Yoga classes to start March 10, planning St Patty's Day party on March 17, will ask UEC for \$350 for food, decorations, prizes & entertainer, may have a Mardi Gras theme on March 1, discussion for Ash Weds event voted by Board not to proceed.

We continue to advertise for another Medical Driver

Center construction continues with the main floor project starting week of Feb 14, painting of the paneling complete. Center closed for lunch that week with limited visitors due to the construction.

Mini-van grant unlikely due to chassis unavailable for the w/c ramp, Director has Rep Soter's office advocating for the Center to Mass DOT. Hoping to utilize the \$17,000 grant from Mass DOT to supplement the mini-van chassis. New table quote received. UEC to assist with payment of half the deposit and town to supplement the remaining.

Formula Grant pending with a rate of \$12 per elder. Awaiting decision on current census to determine amount of grant. Working on FY23 Budget which is due Friday, Feb 11.

Booster Vax Clinic on January 12th well received by community.

The Center remains open with limited visitors. Masks mandate now lifted but advised to continue to have participants wear their masks for safety of all.

Meeting adjourned at 3:53 pm. Next meeting March 8, 2022 at 3 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Gail Boutiette, Chair